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Reference: July Monthly Report (6/1/00-6/30/00)

Dear Mr. Urban:

On September 20, 2000, you were notified that a review of the above-referenced report(s) raised questions as to specific contributions and/or expenditures, and the reporting of certain information required by the Federal Election Campaign Act.

Your September 28, 2000 response is incomplete because you have not provided all the requested information. For this response to be considered adequate, the following information is still required.

-Your calculations for Line 8 appear to be incorrect. Cash-on-hand at the close of the current reporting period should always equal the closing calendar year-to-date cash-on-hand amount. Please provide the corrected total on the Summary Page.

-The beginning cash balance of this report should equal the ending balance of your 2000 June Monthly Report. Please clarify this discrepancy and amend any subsequent report(s) that may be affected by this correction.

-Your calculations for Line 6(c), Column B of the Summary Page and Lines 11(a)(i), 11(a)(iii), 19 and 20, Column B of the Detailed Summary Page appear to be incorrect. Please provide the corrected figures on both the Summary Page and Detailed Summary Page.

An adequate response must be received at the Commission by November 1, 2000. Adequate responses received on or before this date will be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. **Requests for extensions of time in**